

Semi-Annual Clearance and General Stock Reducing SALE AT THE NOVECK STORE

Sale Begins Saturday, July 25, with a general price reduction throughout the entire store with slaughtered prices on all Spring and Summer goods. Everything must be turned into cash and the space cleared for our new Fall and Winter goods. Remember, this is a straightforward, bonafide sale of only first class merchandise. Following are some of the many great bargains.

Great Slaughter of Prices in Our New Cloak and Suit Department

Fine all wool Serge Junior Suits, were \$13.98, go at.....\$7.50
Fine all wool Crepe Ladies' and Misses' Suits, were \$15.00, go at.....\$7.98
Fine all wool Poplin Ladies' and Misses' Suits, were \$22 & \$25.00, \$12.98
Fine all wool Coats, Ladies', Misses' and Juniors, at 1-3 price reduction.
Ladies' and Misses' Serge and Silk Poplin Dresses, 1-4 to 1-3 off.
Ladies' and Misses' beautiful White Dresses, were \$5.98, go at.....\$2.98
Ladies' and Misses' elegant Figured Crepe Dresses, were \$4.50, go at.....\$2.49
Ladies' and Misses' other fine dresses reduced to.....98c, \$1.49, \$1.98
Ladies' and Misses' fine Wash Skirts, were \$1.00 at 85c, were \$1.50
at \$1.25, were \$2.75 at.....\$2.19
Ladies' and Misses' all wool Serge Dress Skirts at 1-4 to 1-3 off.
Ladies' and Men's double texture Rain Coats at reduced prices.
Children's White Dresses at reduced prices
Girls' fine Gingham Dresses, were \$1.00, reduced to.....85c
Ladies' fine Crepe and Silk Kimonos at reduced prices.

Lace, Serim and Muslin Curtains at Reduced Prices--Second Floor

50c Lace Curtains at 42c, 79c ones at 65c, \$1.00 kind at 85c, \$1.50
\$1.25, \$1.75 at \$1.39, \$2.00 at \$1.69, \$3.00 at.....\$2.39
50c Window Shades 42c, the 25c kind at.....21c
Curtain Muslins and Serims at reduced prices.
Ladies' \$4.50 and \$4.00 Trimmed Hats, choice at.....\$1.98

Shirt Waists and Petticoats at Greatly Reduced Prices

Ladies' fine \$2.50 Muslin Shirt Waists at.....\$1.98
Ladies' fine \$3.50 and \$4.50 Silk, Messaline and Taffeta Waists at
\$2.50 and \$2.98
Ladies' fine Silk Crepe de Chine and Jap Silk Waists, \$2.50 value at.....\$1.98
Ladies' fine Crepe, Voile, Lawn and fancy \$1 and \$1.25 Waists at.....85c
1 lot fine Shirt Waists, were \$1.00 to \$2.00, go now at.....59c
Ladies' fine Waists in gingham, percale and crepe, were 50c, at.....42c
Ladies' black and colored Eppo Petticoats, were \$1.00, at.....85c
Ladies' black and colored Eppo Petticoats, were \$1.50 at \$1.25,
were \$2.00 at.....\$1.69
Ladies' Silk Taffeta and Muslin Petticoats at reduced prices.

Semi-Annual Clearance and General Stock Reducing Sale in Our Shoe Department

In order to make room for our heavy purchases of new Fall Shoes we shall offer reliable footwear at slaughtered prices.

1 lot of Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Oxfords, to close out at.....\$2.49
1 lot of Men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 Oxfords, to close out at.....\$1.98
\$2.50 Men's Gun Metal Button and Blucher Dress Shoes.....\$1.98
\$2.50 Men's Tan Elk and Black Work Shoes at.....\$1.98
\$4.50 Men's Tan Scout Shoes at.....\$1.98
\$4.50 Men's Tan Longwalker Sporting Shoes at.....\$3.85
\$3.00 Men's Black Beacon Low Shoes at.....\$2.65
1 lot of Emerson Low Shoes, to close out, \$4.00, at.....\$1.98
\$4.00 Men's Emerson Low Shoes, black and tan, at.....\$3.39
\$4.50 Men's Emerson Low Shoes, black, at.....\$3.75
1 lot of Ladies' \$3.00 and \$3.50 Oxfords, small sizes, at.....69c
1 lot of Ladies' \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 High Shoes, small sizes, at.....98c
50 pairs of Ladies' \$3.50 and \$4.00 Patrician Shoes at.....\$1.98 and \$2.49
\$3.00 Ladies' rubber sole Tan Oxfords at.....\$2.50
\$2.50 Ladies' Shoes, Oxfords, Pumps and Colonials at.....\$1.98
\$1.50 Ladies' White Canvas Pumps at.....\$1.25
\$1.25 Ladies' White Canvas Pumps at.....98c
\$1.75 Ladies' White Canvas High Button Shoes at.....\$1.45
\$3.50 Ladies' White Buckskin Pumps at.....\$2.69
\$3.50 Ladies' Black Suede Pumps at.....\$2.69
\$3.50 Ladies' Brown Suede Colonials at.....\$2.69
\$2.50 Ladies' White Buck Button Oxfords at.....\$1.98
\$3.00 Ladies' Noveck Tan Oxfords and Pumps at.....\$2.35
\$2.75 Ladies' Tan Suede Button Oxfords and Pumps at.....\$1.98
\$2.50 Noveck Oxfords, Button and Blucher, at.....\$2.15
\$3.00 Noveck Oxfords, Button and Blucher, at.....\$2.59

Men's and Boys' White Sneaks, first quality, at.....50c
Men's and Boys' Black Sneaks, at.....45c
\$1.00 Misses' White Canvas Pumps, 11 1-2 to 2, at.....85c
85c Children's White Canvas Pumps, 8 1-2 to 11.....75c
\$1.39 Misses' White Button High Shoes, at.....\$1.19
Children's Gun Metal and Patent Leather Pumps, at reduced prices.
Boys' Shoes at reduced prices.

\$1.00 Men's Empire and Corliss Coon Shirts, at.....85c
75c Men's Negligee Shirts, at.....49c
50c Men's Negligee and Work Shirts, at.....42c

There are a great many other great bargains which it would be worth your while to come and examine. It will save you money. Remember this SALE COMMENCES SATURDAY, JULY 25th.

General Clearance and Stock Reducing Sale of Ladies' Muslin Underwear

Ladies' fine Combination Corset Cover and Drawers, were 59c, at.....42c
Ladies' fine Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, were 59c, at.....42c
Ladies' fine Combinations, were \$1.00 at 85c, were \$1.25 at.....98c
Ladies' fine Princess Slips at greatly reduced prices.
Ladies' fine Petticoats, beautifully trimmed, at cut prices.
Ladies' Muslin Drawers, reduced to 21c, were 25c; to 42c, were 50c.
Ladies' fine Corset Covers at a great reduction in price.
1 lot of Ladies' fine Muslin Petticoats, Drawers and Corset Covers, slightly soiled, will go at a sacrifice.
Children's Muslin Drawers and Petticoats at.....10c up
Ladies' Muslin Night Robes at reduced prices.
R. & G. Corsets, \$1.00 kind at 85c, \$1.50 at \$1.25, \$2.00 kind.....\$1.69
1 lot R. & G. Corsets, late models, were \$1.50, at.....98c
1 lot C/B and Thompson Corsets, were \$1.00 to \$2.50, at.....49c
Boys' and Girls' Ideal Underwaists, were 25c, at.....21c
50c Ideal Corset Waists at.....42c

Marked Down Prices for this Sale of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' 25c Black and Tan Hose at.....21c
Ladies' 25c Black and Tan Silk Hose at.....21c
Ladies' 50c Hose 42c, the 75c kind 65c, the \$1.00 kind.....85c
Boys' and Girls' 15c Hose 12c, the 25c kind at.....21c
Ladies' Knit Underwear at reduced prices.

\$1.00 Ladies' Black and White Silk Long Gloves at.....85c
50c Ladies' Silk Gloves, all shades, at.....42c
\$1.00 Ladies' guaranteed Kid Gloves at.....85c
\$1.00 Men's and Ladies' Umbrellas at.....85c

75c all Linen Table Cloth at.....65c per yd
50c Table Linen at.....42c per yd
Napkins at reduced prices.
29c Turkish Towels 25c, 25c Turkish Towels.....21c
15c Huck Towels 12c, 10c Huck Towels.....8c
Towelings at reduced prices.

\$1.00 Men's Union Suits, at.....85c
50c Men's Shirts and Drawers, at.....42c
25c Men's Shirts and Drawers, at.....21c
\$1.00 Suit Cases, matting and carotol, at.....85c
\$2.00 Suit Cases, at.....\$1.69
\$2.50 Suit Cases, matting and fibre, at.....\$2.15
\$4.00 Cowhide Suit Cases, at.....\$2.99
\$1.50 Matting Traveling Bags, at.....\$1.00
\$2.69 Black and Russet Traveling Bags, at.....\$2.25
\$3.75 Black and Russet Traveling Bags, at.....\$2.98
Trunks at greatly reduced prices.

45c Sheets, full size, at.....39c
50c Sheets, full size, at.....42c
\$1.00 Bedspreads, at.....85c
\$1.39 Bedspreads, at.....\$1.25
\$1.75 Bedspreads, at.....\$1.49
\$2.25 Bedspreads, at.....\$1.95
11c good quality Pillow Cases.....9c
15c good quality Pillow Cases, at.....12 1-2c
25c good quality Pillow Cases, at.....21c
American Prints, best quality, at.....6c
Amoskeag Gingham, best quality, at.....7c
12 1-2c Gingham and Percales, at.....10c
25c Silk Poplins and Corduroys, at.....19c
10c Fancy Lawns, at.....8c
Cotton Cloth at reduced prices.
Best quality white and colored table oil cloth at.....18c

50c Boys wash suits, at.....42c
75c Boys Wash Suits, at.....65c
\$1.00 Boys' Wash Suits.....85c
50c Rompers, at 42c, 25c Rompers, at 21c.
10c Men's Black and Tan Hose, at.....7 1-2c
15c Men's Black and Tan Arrowhead Hose, at.....11c
25c Men's Silk and Lisle Hose, all colors, at.....21c
\$1.00 Men's Caps, silks and different materials, at.....85c
50c Men's Caps, at.....42c
50c Men's Overalls and Jumpers, at.....42c
75c Men's Overalls and Jumpers, at.....65c

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MAIN STREET

COUNTY GRANGE PICNIC

Planned To Hold One Sometime in August

Editor of The Banner:—Some time ago you published a letter of mine relative to a grange rally in the fall. It would now seem to me more advisable to hold some time in August a County Grange picnic, say at Emerald Lake or some other point on the Railroad, provided the grounds could be leased, a band secured and other necessary arrangements made. But before one would feel warranted in going ahead with such a scheme he would want to have an expression of opinion from Granges and patrons residing in the County and as The Banner has always been more than willing to do more than its share for the good of the order and has spent both time and money to make Grange affairs a success, I am going to take the liberty of asking you to publish this letter in The Banner and trust that Grange's seeing it will bring the matter without delay before their Granges and also communicate with me as to how a Grange and Farmers picnic for August strikes them.

I understand Addison County always has one, that we can undoubtedly obtain some of the best speakers in the state for such an affair, including the governor and master of the state grange and certainly a nominal charge for admission to the grounds would pay all the expenses including free coffee and milk, the prizes to be won at the different games, etc., each visitor to bring a basket lunch for themselves.

I am advised on good authority that the Bennington County Improvement association had been considering a general picnic for the county to which every person in the county was to be invited. If this is so and they would go in with the Granges in such an undertaking the affair could not help being a success and the enjoyment and pleasure to all attending would be increased ten fold, but before agreeing to such a combination they too would want a line on public opinion as to the advisability of such a county get-together and the only way we can know what that opinion is, is for every one interested to write and tell us how the matter strikes them, and I would therefore request that every one seeing this not only take it up with their friends, but write me at once, as the time is short, so something can be done at once.

Yours truly,

George F. Lawrence,
Master of Battenkill Valley Grange,
Manchester, Vt., July 20th, 1914.

BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers

Gertrude Carney of Silver street left this morning for a two-weeks' visit in Rutland and Proctor.

The guarantors of Chautauqua are requested to call at the store of Mulligan & Roche and obtain the remaining season tickets.

Mrs. H. A. Hemingway of Corning, N. Y., and two daughters Caroline and Marion are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Daley.

Lost—Between Woodford and Bennington a white beaded bag containing crochets, work, suitable reward to person returning same to Banner office.

Miss Reiser, an expert cornetist will give a demonstration and fitting of the merits of Gossard cornets at the Drysdale store all day Saturday. Special fitting rooms have been provided on second floor. You are invited to be present. Adv. 4662

The school board has elected Miss Sophia Beebe of Manchester teacher of music and Miss Edith Russell to fill the vacancy in the grades. Miss Beebe was trained at Columbia college and comes highly recommended while Miss Russell is a graduate of the local high school and has taught successfully in the town schools.

NORTH BENNINGTON

Rev. W. W. Eaton of Albany will supply the pulpit of the Congregational church Sunday evening.

Secretary Banks of the Y. M. C. A. will speak at the Sunday morning service of the North Bennington Baptist church at 11 o'clock. Following the service a business meeting will be called to take action in regard to calling Rev. C. W. Turner of Edgerton, Mass., as pastor of the church. It is necessary that all who can be present. Bible school at 12. Young People's service at 6.30. This will be the regular missionary meeting.

EAST ARLINGTON

Mrs. Fannie Harshbarger of Old Bennington is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rice of South Shaftsbury were in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVallie were in North Bennington Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Julia Walker came to the front this year with a fine garden of flowers and vegetables. She is a lady over seventy years of age. Joseph Webb comes next.

Miss Ryan, the trained nurse from Troy, who has been caring for J. W. Bowen, who has been seriously ill, returned home yesterday. She met many of her friends that she cared for in the hospital in Troy, while here.



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C. A. Westhoff, practical upholsterer formerly with J. B. Walbridge Co. will be in town for two more weeks.
Persons having anything in the line of upholstering such as furniture, mattresses, curtains, cushions and auto covers, better see him before he leaves. Work done at residence if required. Prices reasonable, so if in any way assisted, C. A. WESTHOFF, 22 Broad St., Bennington, Vt.

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